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FIG. 1

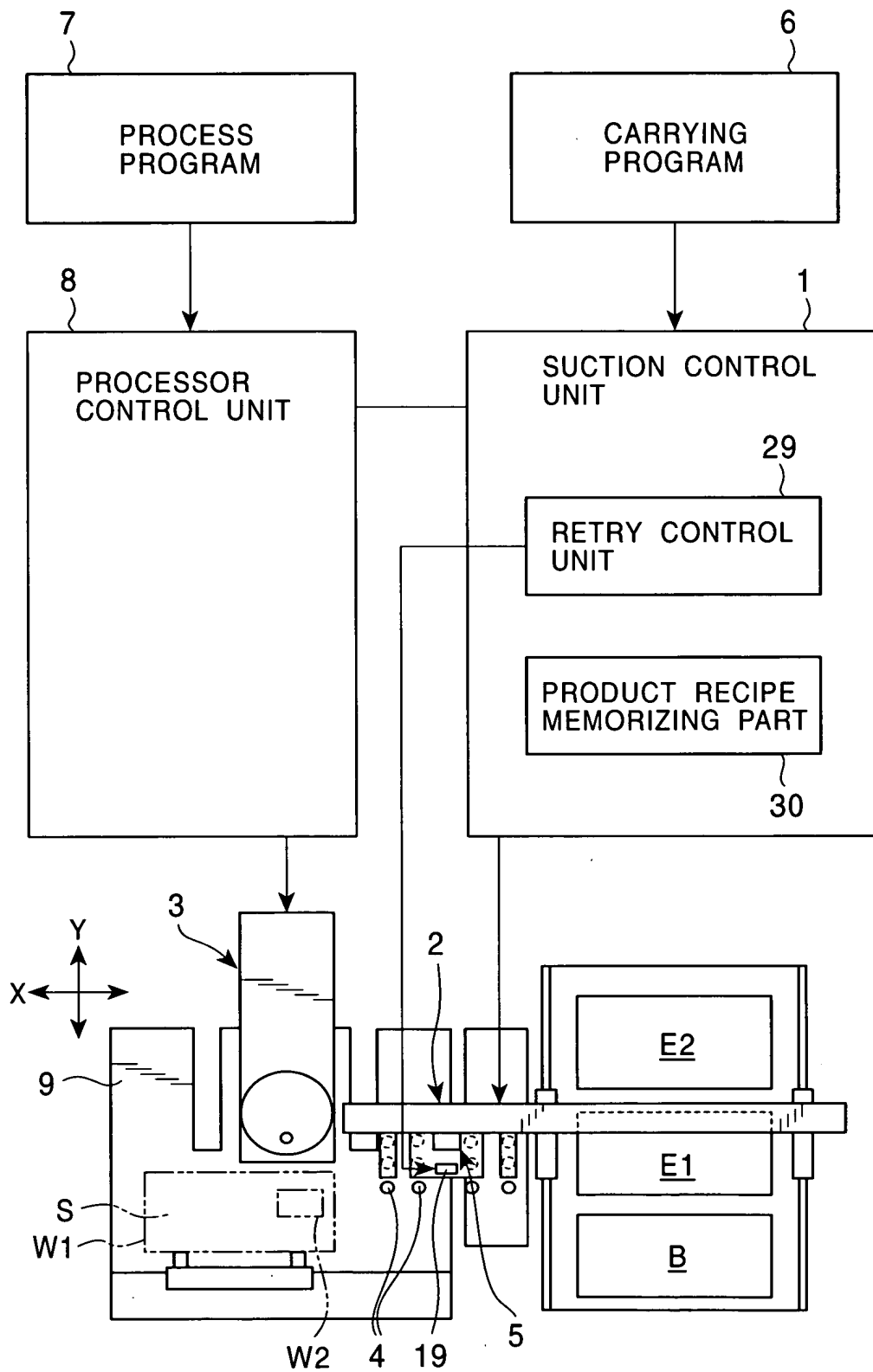


FIG. 3

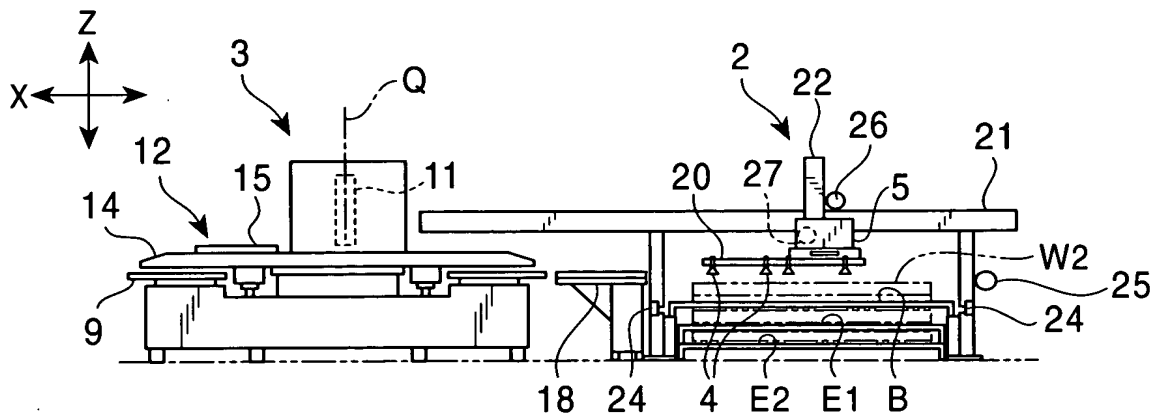


FIG. 4

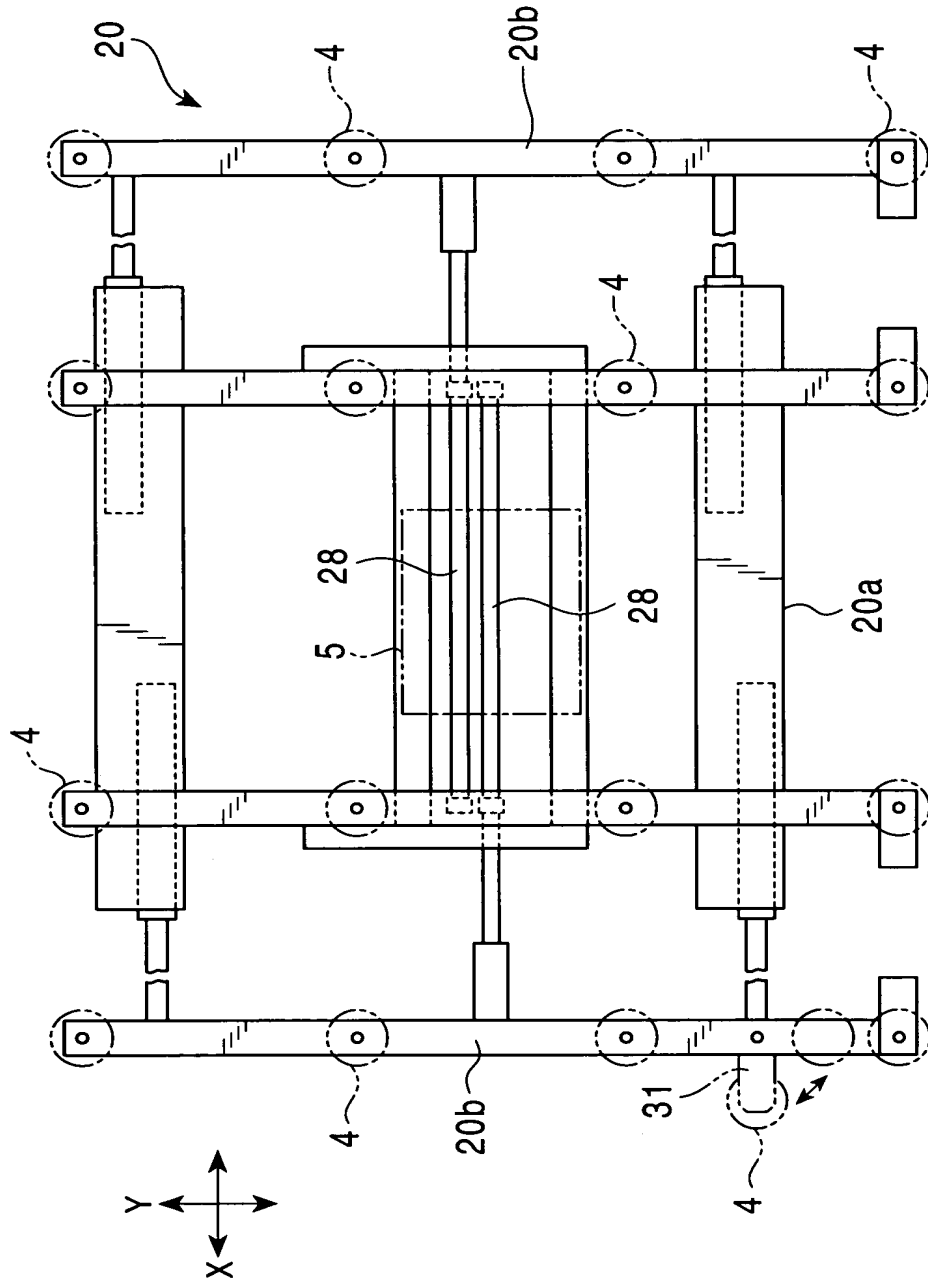
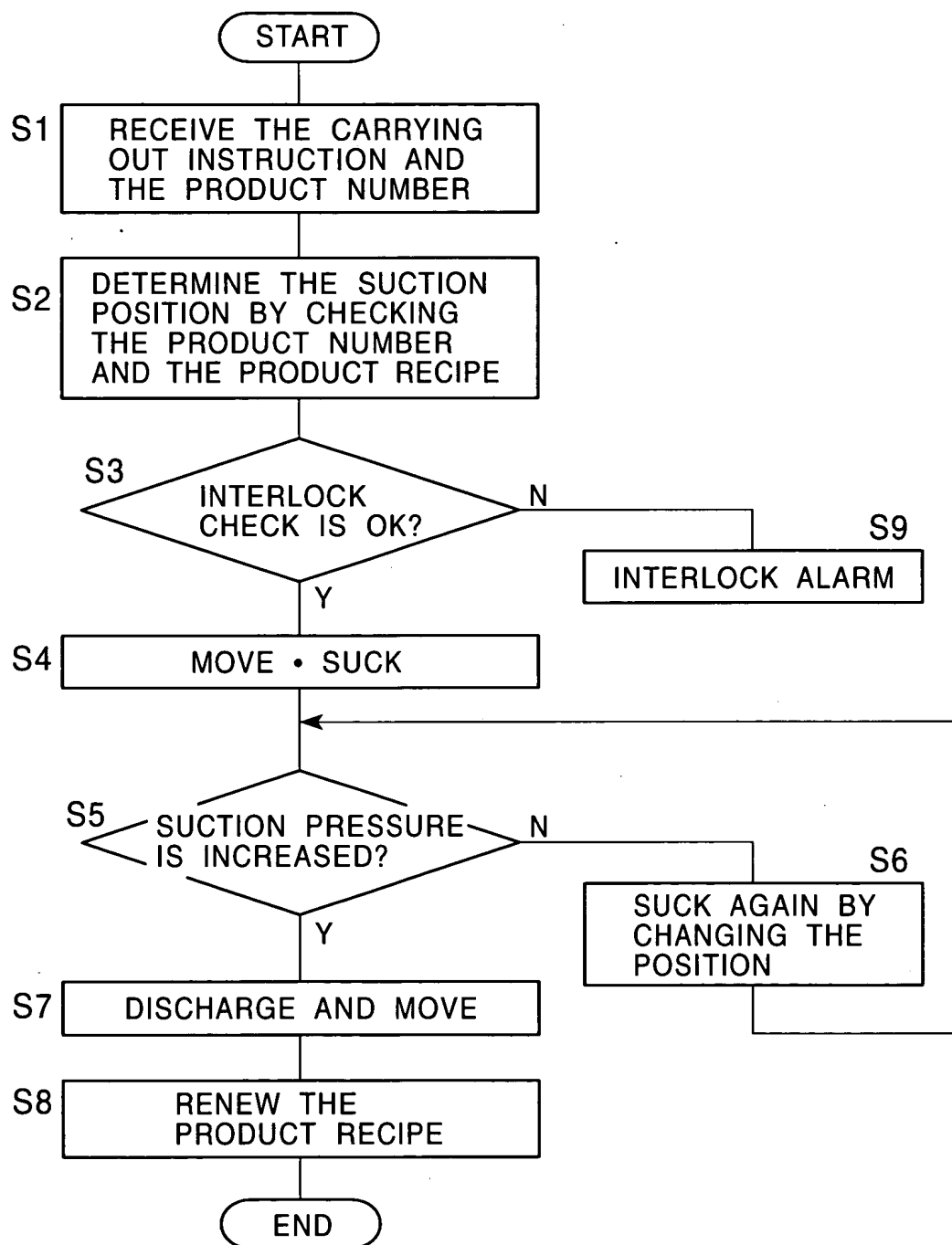


FIG. 5



The diagram shows a square region in the  $xy$ -plane. The vertices are labeled with circled numbers 1 through 8. The origin is at the center of the square. The vertices are located at  $(n, n)$  (1),  $(-n, n)$  (6),  $(-n, -n)$  (4), and  $(n, -n)$  (2). The midpoints of the sides are labeled with circled numbers 3, 5, 7, and 8. The origin is labeled with a circled number 9. A path  $(x, y)$  is shown starting from the origin and moving towards the vertex labeled 1.